well as in the cultivated area and area under horticulture/afforestation. Increase in milk production and decrease in labour migration has also been reported.

(d) Proposals for coverage of area State-wise under IWDP are decided annually, based on budget allocations and progress of ongoing projects. During 2002-03, the first year of the Tenth Five Year Plan, new projects to cover 54000 ha. have been approved so far under IWDP in respect of Andhra Pradesh.

Achievements in SGRY

1637. SHRI AIMADUDDIN AHMED KHAN (DURRU): Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that headway has been made during the year 2001-2002, in the implementation of the Sampoorna Grameen Rozgar Yojana (SGRY) announced by the Prime Minister in his Address to the Nation on August 15, 2001; and

(b) if so, the reasons for the failure, indicating the steps taken and the extent of implementation of SGRY and the achievement of targets, during the year, State and Union Territory-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI SUBHASH MAHARIA): (a) and (b) The Sampoorna Grameen Rozgar Yojana (SGRY) after the annoucement made by the Prime Minister on 15th August, 2001 was successfully launched on 25th September, 2001. The scheme is in operation throughout the country (except Delhi and Chandigarh) in the rural areas. The Scheme has been accepted by all States/UTs. The Progress Report of the scheme for the year 2001-02 in respect of performance and physical performance of SGRY during 2001- 2002 is given in the Annexure [*See* Appendix 197 Annexure No. 19 and 20].

Misuse of foodgrains meant for Food for Work Programme

1638. SHRI K. RAHMAN KHAN: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it has come to the notice of the Government that certain States have misused, the Food for Work Programme and have drawn foodgrains more than their entitlement;

(b) if so, names of such States;

(c) the details of foodgrains released to these States during the last three years, State-wise; and

(d) what action has been initiated against the States who have misused the foodgrains issued under the programme?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI SUBHASH MAHARIA): (a) to (d) Release of foodgrains earlier under the Food for Work Programme and now under the special Component of the Sampoorna Grameen Rozgar Yojana, to calamity affected States is demand driven. Each release is now approved by the Task Force/High Level Committee constituted for the purpose. The FCI releases foodgrains to the concerned States/UTs as per the allocation approved by the Task Force/High Level Commitee. The details of the Foodgrains allocated to the States/UTs during 2001-2002 under the Food for Work Programme and 2002-2003 under the Special Component of the SGRY are given the Statement (*See* below).

In case of Andhra Pradesh, some complaints have been received in the Ministry as well as some press reports appeared in newspapers regarding misappropriation of foodgrains allocated under the Food for Work Programme (FWP) and the Special Component. These complaints were referred to the State Government for taking up appropriate and remedial action. The State Government of Andhra Pradesh have reported that 456 Government officials, 50 Sarpanches, 86 Rice Millers, 289 Fair Price Shop Dealers and 73 Trapnsporters were found to be involved in irregularities. The State Government have initiated action against these erring officials/persons. In case of Kerala, 5000 tonnes of Rice was allcoated under the Food for Work Programme for people affected by heavy rains. The foodgrains were distributed among affected people free without taking up works because of heavy rains which was not as per the guidelines of the Food for Work Programme. This matter has been referred to the State Government of Kerala for taking remedial action to regularize the foodgrains allocated under the Programme.

Statement

Foodgrains allocated to the State/UTs under the Food forWork Programme and under the Special Component 2002-2003

Sl.No.	State	Food for Work Programme 2001-02 Quantity of Foodgrains	Special Component 2002-03 allocated (in MTs)
1	2	3	4
1	Andhra Pradesh	1650000	1800000
2	Bihar	100000	-
3	Chhattisgarh	419007	143116
4	Gujarat	58105	-
5	Haryana	-	25000
6	Himachal Pradesh	-	10000
7	Jharkhand	-	40000
8	Karnataka	100000	200000
9	Kerala	5000	-
10	Madhya Pradesh	188665	211500
11	Maharashtra	14000	-
12	Orissa	150000	400000
13	Rajasthan	621360	700000
14	Tamil Nadu	-	50000
15	Uttar Pradesh	-	200000
16	Uttaranchal	-	50000
	TOTAL:	3432137	38229616

Unsafe drinking water in Karnataka

1639. SHRI H.K. JAVARE GOWDA: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that unsafe drinking water has disabled villagers in many parts of the State of Karnataka.

(b) if so, the details of persons affected due to consumption of high flouride content water, district-wise in the State for the past three years;